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BUCKINGHAM PALACE.

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Sherlock

Her Majesty's Detective

WRITTEN BY
KYUNG-OH GO

ILLUSTRATED BY
ZOHAN

TRANSLATED BY
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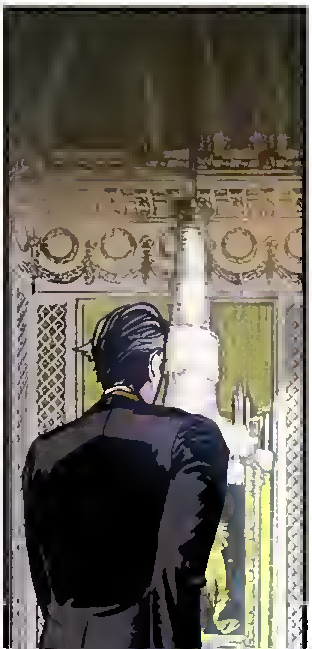
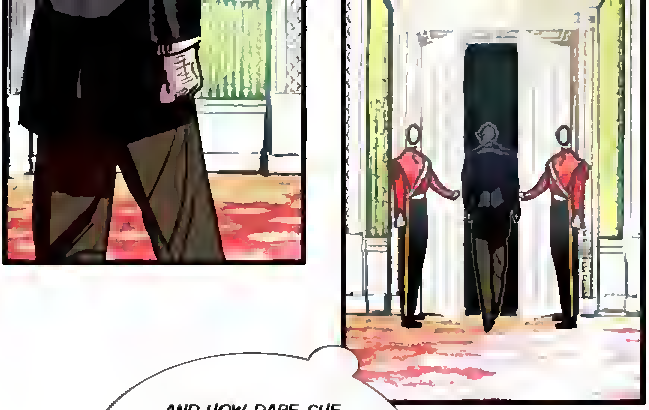
WHY WOULD THE QUEEN WANT ME AT THIS TIME IN THE NIGHT? WHAT COULD IT BE?





AND HOW DARE SHE CALL FOR ME IN AT THIS HOUR - DON'T QUEENS SLEEP TOO? IT'S ONLY BECAUSE SHE DOES NOTHING DURING THE DAY THAT SHE'S UP SO LATE

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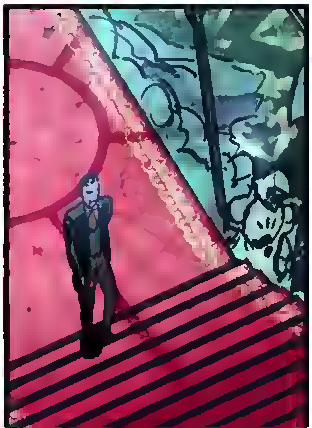

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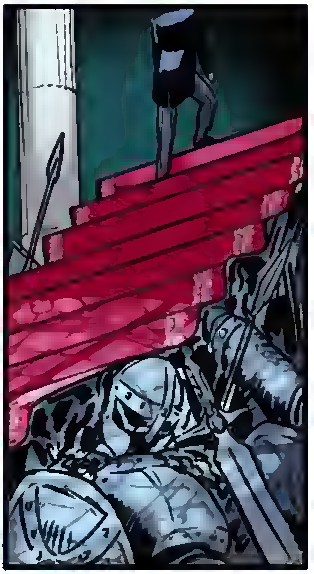
IT WAS ONLY BY LUCK SHE FINDS HERSELF ON HER HIGH THRONE



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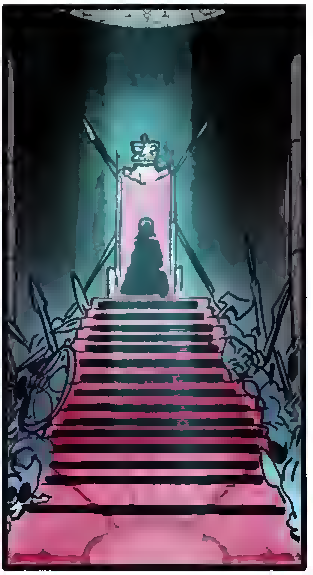

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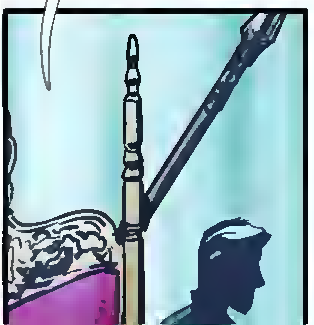
YOUR MAJESTY.
YOUR LOYAL SUBJECT
COUNT OF GLASGOW.
DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF
INTELLIGENCE DEPARTMENT
WILLIAM GILBERT
AT YOUR SERVICE.

DO COME.
DO COME.

ONE IS TERRIBLY
SORRY TO HAVE CALLED
YOU SO LATE AT NIGHT.
BUT HE INSISTED
ON SEEING YOU
AS A MATTER OF
SUCH URGENCY.



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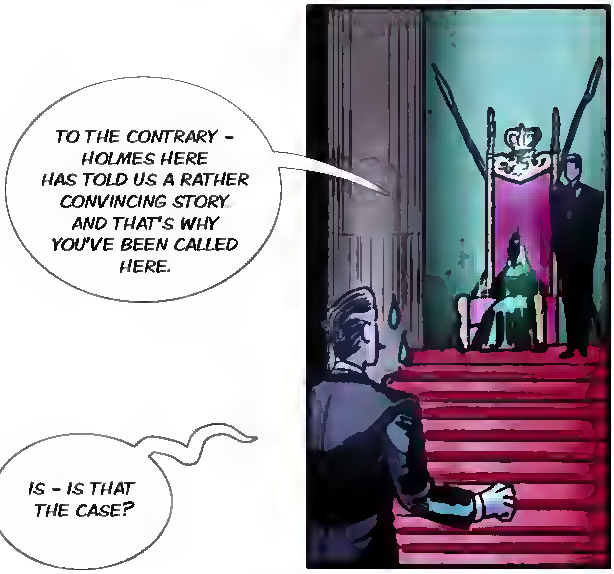
WHAT!
YOUR MAJESTY.
HE IS A TREACHEROUS
TRAITOR!
PLEASE BE CAREFUL!


TO THE CONTRARY - HOLMES HERE HAS TOLD US A RATHER CONVINCING STORY. AND THAT'S WHY YOU'VE BEEN CALLED HERE.
IS - IS THAT THE CASE?

AND THE STORY, BEARING ON YOU IN PARTICULAR, WAS AS SHOCKING AS IT WAS CONVINCING.

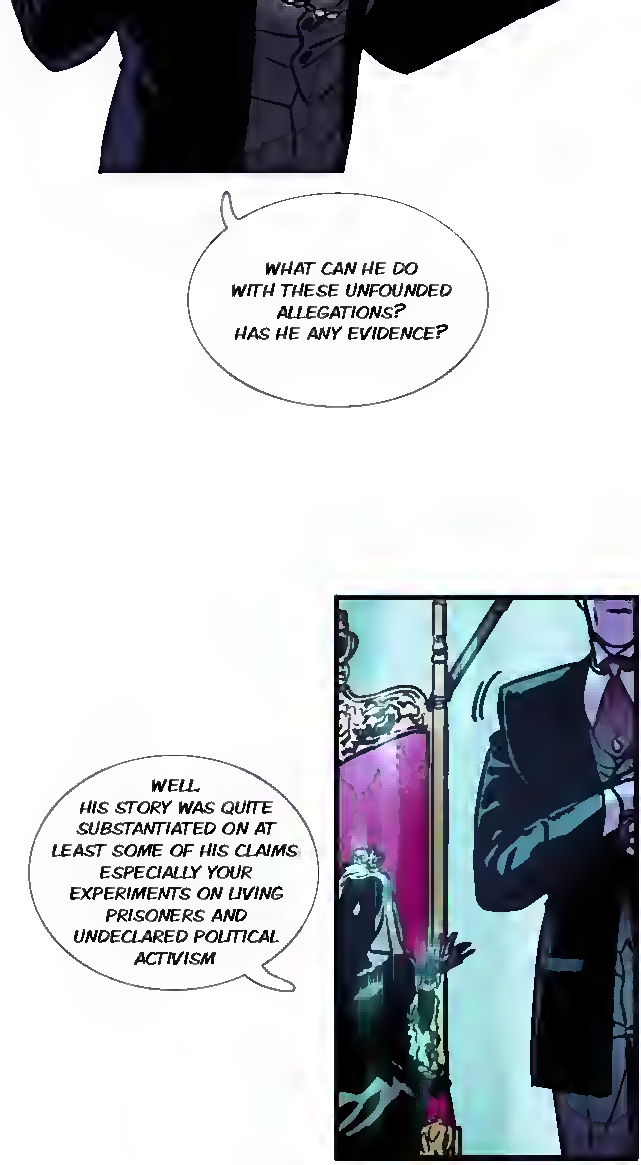
SHALL WE HEAR IT FROM MR. HOLMES HIMSELF?

YOU KILLED SIR MYLES.

YOU EMPLOYED A MORIARTY FROM THE MORIARTY GROUP, ALSO KNOWN AS ANGEL, TO MURDER SIR MYLES. SHE THEN THREATENED TO DO THE SAME TO MYSELF AND WATSON WHEN WE NARROWLY ESCAPED. YOU TRIED TO PUT THE BLAME ON US FOR THE MURDER OF SIR MYLES AND GOT YOUR MEN TO ASSAULT US.

THEN YOU USED PRISONERS ON DEATH-ROW TO CONDUCT ILLEGAL EXPERIMENTS ON LIVING BODIES!

AND AS IF THAT WASN'T QUITE BAD ENOUGH, YOU - A HIGH-RANKING CIVIL SERVANT OF HER MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT - WENT OUT TO SUPPORT POLITICAL ACTIVITIES TO DESTABILIZE THIS COUNTRY
YOU DOGGED BASTARD. BUT YOU CAN'T BEAT ME.
HA
HA!
I'VE NEVER BEEN SO HUMOURED BEFORE!
YOUR MAJESTY, HOLMES IS CLEARLY BEING CONTROLLED BY THOSE WHO WISH TO HARM THE SECURITY OF YOUR KINGDOM BY LAYING FALSE ACCUSATIONS AGAINST ME.

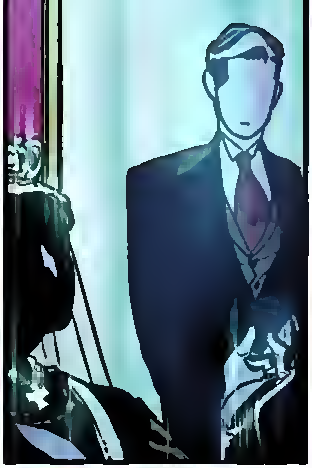

WHAT CAN HE DO WITH THESE UNFOUNDED ALLEGATIONS? HAS HE ANY EVIDENCE?
WELL. HIS STORY WAS QUITE SUBSTANTIATED ON AT LEAST SOME OF HIS CLAIMS ESPECIALLY YOUR EXPERIMENTS ON LIVING PRISONERS AND UNDECLARED POLITICAL ACTIVISM
SLIP...

WATSON HAD A MINIATURE CAMERA IN HER EYE AND MANAGED TO CAPTURE THESE PHOTOS.
WE ARE TOLD THAT THESE PHOTOS, INSTANTLY DEVELOPED, CANNOT BE RETOUCHED OR MANIPULATED ONCE THEY ARE TAKEN.
THAT SHOULD BE GOOD ENOUGH FOR YOU, ONE THINKS?
SURPRISE

WE, WELL... THAT, THAT IS- WEL...

GOOD. HE IS CRUMBLING. I CAN NOW MENTION THOSE THREE MEN WHO ASSAULTED US WITH A MOB AND THE SERIAL NUMBER FOR ANTI-THEFT SAFE COIN THAT SHOULD BRING HIM DOWN COMPLETELY. IF WE CAN INTERROGATE HIM SEPARATELY TO FIND OUT HOW HE MET THIS MORIARTY, WE SHOULD BE ABLE TO CATCH...

THIS IS HOW ONE SHALL CONCLUDE THIS RATHER UNFORTUNATE TURN OF EVENTS.



JULIA AND CYBILL HAVE BOTH GIVEN CONSISTENT TESTIMONIES ABOUT STRANGE ACTIONS OF ANGEL. AND HOLMES HAS NO REAL MOTIVE FOR MURDERING SIR MYLES. NOR IS THERE ANY EVIDENCE THAT HE DID. SO THAT SEES HIM CLEARED.

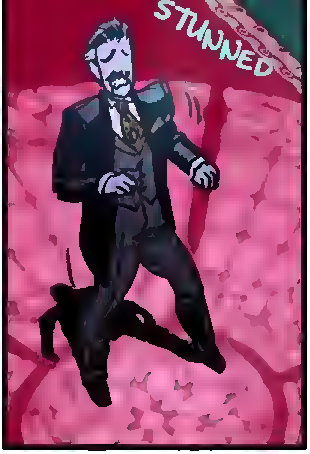
ON THE OTHER HAND, FOR EXPERIMENTING ON LIVING PRISONERS, WE SHALL SEIZE AND DESTROY ALL ASSETS AND ESTATES, EQUIPMENTS AND DATA. ALTHOUGH THE ACTION, WHICH HAS DISCONTINUED PROOVES DIFFICULT TO IDENTIFY ITS VICTIMS.

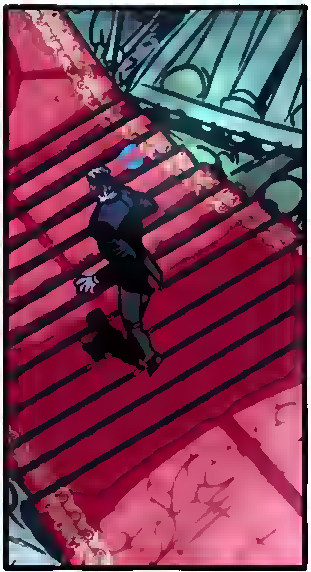
IT ALSO GOES BEYOND THE SCOPE OF THE LAW OF THIS LAND, AND THUS WILL GO UNPUNISHED. BUT AS FOR YOU, GILBERT, WE SHALL HAVE YOUR ROTATION MOVED FORWARD -

YOUR MAJESTY, IT IS TOO SOON TO REACH CONCLUSIONS!

– TO SWITCH YOUR POSTING WITH A NEW DIRECTOR WHO IS CURRENTLY ON DUTY IN INDIA. YOU, HOWEVER, WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THE FRONT IN BARAT. IT WILL BE A LONG TOUR, GILBERT, SO PREPARE YOURSELF. AND DO LEAVE YOUR WIFE HERE IN ELDER BRITAIN.

THAT'LL BE ALL FOR NOW. WE CAN DISPENSE WITH FORMALITIES.
YOUR MAJESTY!





TAP TAP

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TA
TO HELL WITH THIS!
I'D BETTER
RUN FOR MY LIFE!!
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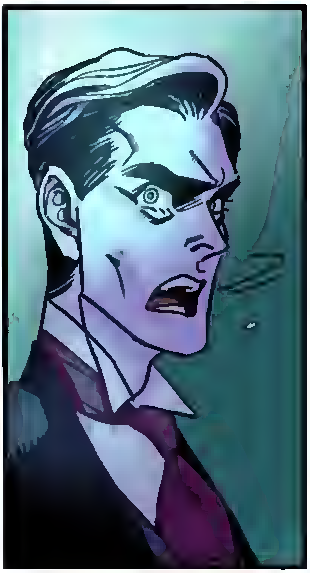
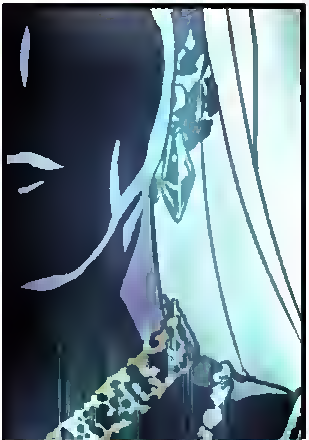
YOUR MAJESTY.
HE LEFT
A WHOLE TRAIL
OF HARD EVIDENCE
WHILE HE ATTACKED
US



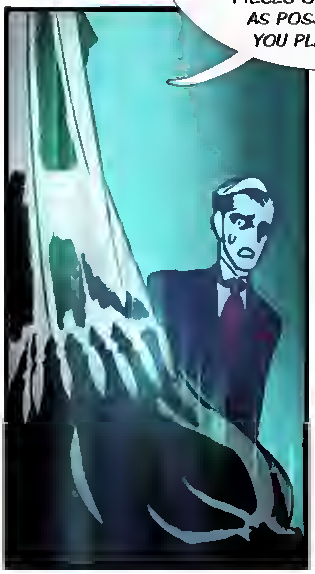
AND HE KILLED SIR MYLES!

WHY SUCH HASTE TO CONCLUDE THE CASE? I CANNOT HELP BUT QUESTION YOUR MAJESTY'S JUDGEMENT!



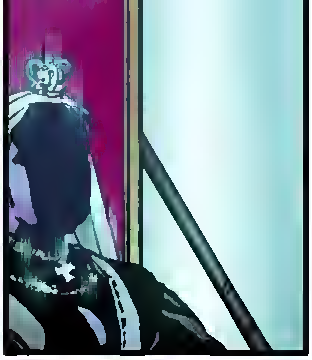
... NOW THERE – WATCH YOUR WORDS, HOLMES.

ONE DOES NOT JUST THROW OUT ONE'S PAWNS BECAUSE THEY HAVE FAULTS. YOU DO KNOW THAT IT'S GOOD TO HAVE AS MANY PIECES ON THE BOARD AS POSSIBLE WHEN YOU PLAY CHESS?



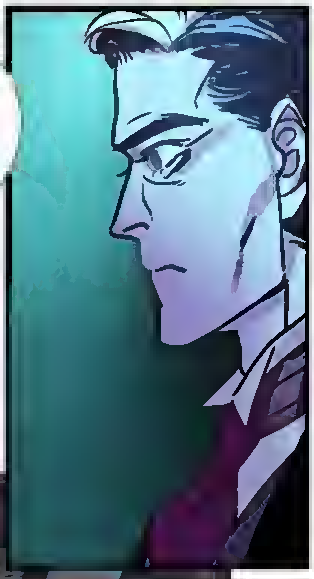
IF SO, WHAT ABOUT TRYING TO GET AS MUCH INFORMATION ABOUT MORIARTY -

IS SHE SO IMPORTANT THAT



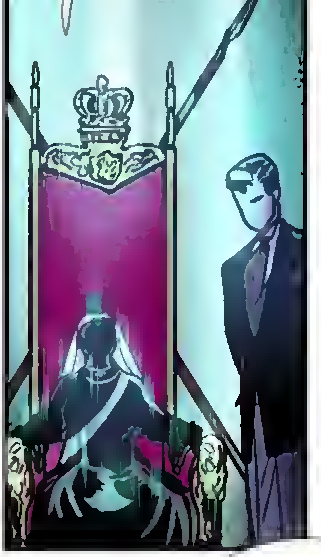
ONE MUST RISK A NATIONAL SCANDAL WITHOUT ANY CONCRETE EVIDENCE? SHE IS A NAME FOR SURE, BUT IN THE END, SHE HAS BUT KILLED ONE MAN!

DO YOU HAVE A GOOD REASON WHY SHE SHOULD BE SUCH A HIGH PRIORITY FOR US?



... NO. I DO NOT. YOUR MAJESTY.

ONE SUSPECTS THAT YOU ARE HIDING SOMETHING OF INTEREST FROM US IN THIS CASE. HOLMES.



OF COURSE NOT, MA'AM. I AM YOUR MAJESTY'S LOYAL DETECTIVE.

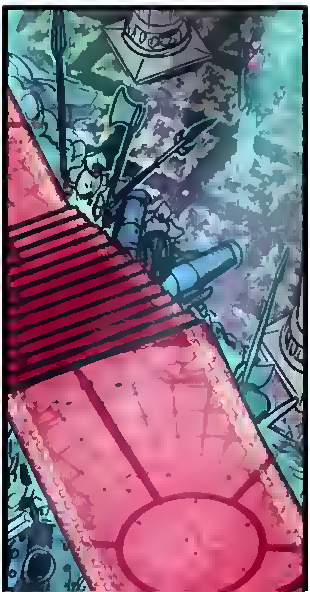
HA..

..WELL, THAT BRINGS

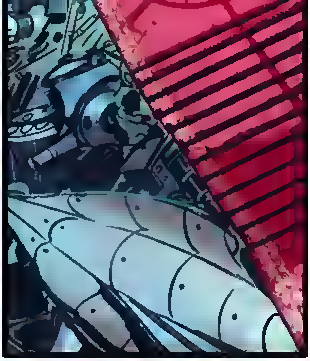
BACK A LOT OF MEMORIES.

YOU'VE BEEN OUR KNIGHT EVER SINCE YOU SAVED MY LIFE.

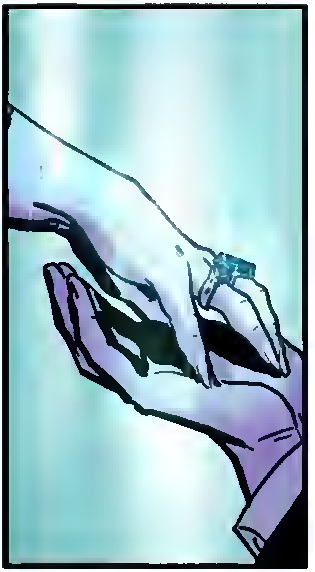
ONE IS MOST BLESSED TO HAVE THE SERVICE OF SUCH A COMPETENT AND FAITHFUL MAN.



BUT ONE CANNOT WIN A WAR WITH ONLY A KNIGHT. THINK ABOUT THAT.

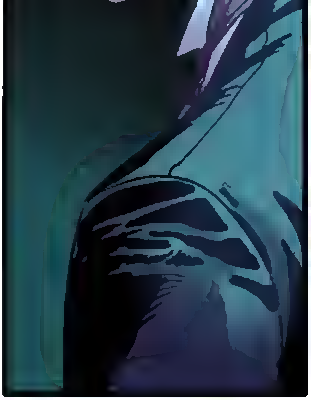


... I UNDERSTAND.



I SHALL LEAVE YOU IN PEACE, MA'AM.

YES. AND YOU'VE BEEN THROUGH SUCH TROUBLE - TAKE A PAID LEAVE FOR AS LONG AS YOU WISH



WILL IT REALLY ALL BE DESTROYED, YOUR MAJESTY?

IS ONE OBLIGED TO ANSWER?

... NO. MA'AM.

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Her Majesty's
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